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In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97, applicants wish to call the attention of the Examiner to the following documents:

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These documents are listed on the accompanying Form PTO-1449 (submitted in duplicate) and copies are enclosed herewith.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.98, applicants would also like to call the Examiner's attention U.S. Patent

Application No. 09/070,555 (filed April 30, 1998) and U.S. Patent

Application No. 09/070,604 (filed April 30, 1998). Copies of these applications are enclosed herewith. These applications have not been listed on the accompanying Form PTO-1449 to prevent their Application Nos. from being printed on the face of any patent issuing from this application. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner sign the statement "All references have been considered" on the bottom of page 5 of the enclosed Form

PTO-1449 to indicate that these patent applications were considered (See MPEP § 609(c)).

Consideration of the foregoing in relation to this patent application is respectfully requested.

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